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## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTS

### OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF LABOUR IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR BANGALORE CITY FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 1948.

**A fall of 4.0 Points.**

The Cost of Living Index Number for the month of April 1948, works up to 275·3 points, registering a fall of 4·0 from the previous month's figure.

The index number of the Food group declined by 1·7 points, owing to a fall in the prices of Turdhal, Jaggery, Coffee Seeds, Ghee, Onions, Fruits, Cocoanut, Tamarind and Garlic.

An increase in the price of castoroil and Kerosene oil resulted in the rise of the index number of Fuel and Lighting group by 1·0 points to 237·4 points.

The index number of clothing group declained by 25·5 points owing to a fall in the prices of Dothies, Shirting, Cloth for Pyjamas, Cloth for Jackets.

The index number of miscellaneous group advanced by 1·8 points to 303·6 owing to rise in the prices of washing soap.

The index number of House Rent group remained constant.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936=100)

| Articles | Unit of quantity | Weight, proportional to total expenditure | Average prices per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936 | March 1948 | April 1948 | Index Number: March 1948 | April 1948 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Food*— | | | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | | |
| Raw Rice | Seer (Mar.) | 14·0 | 0 2 2 | 0 4 7 | 0 4 7 | 212 | 212 |
| Boiled Rice | ,, | 22·6 | 0 2 3 | 0 4 7 | 0 4 7 | 204 | 204 |
| Ragi | ,, | 6·6 | 0 1 1 | 0 3 0 | 0 3 1 | 277 | 285 |
| Blackgram Dhal | ,, | 0·7 | 0 3 1 | 0 13 0 | 0 13 6 | 422 | 438 |
| Tur Dhal | ,, | 3·4 | 0 2 8 | 0 13 9 | 0 12 7 | 516 | 472 |
| Bengalgram Dhal | ,, | 1·4 | 0 2 11 | 0 12 8 | 0 12 10 | 434 | 440 |
| Avare Dhal | ,, | 0·6 | 0 2 7 | 0 14 1 | 0 14 8 | 545 | 568 |
| Greengram | ,, | 1·2 | 0 2 0 | 0 13 3 | 0 13 5 | 663 | 671 |
| Sugar | Seer Wt. | 1·9 | 0 1 4 | 0 6 2 | 0 6 2 | 463 | 463 |
| Jaggery | Viss | 1·9 | 0 3 6 | 0 8 1 | 0 8 0 | 231 | 229 |
| Coffee seeds | Seer Wt. | 1·4 | 0 3 11 | 1 5 8 | 1 2 0 | 553 | 460 |
| Meat | 2 lbs. Wt. | 7·2 | 0 7 0 | 2 0 0 | 2 0 0 | 457 | 457 |
| Curds | Seer Mar. | 1·9 | 0 1 7 | 0 6 0 | 0 6 0 | 379 | 379 |
| Milk | ,, | 6·1 | 0 3 7 | 0 8 0 | 0 8 0 | 223 | 223 |
| Ghee | ,, Wt. | 2·7 | 0 6 0 | 1 4 11 | 1 2 8 | 349 | 311 |
| Onions | Viss | 1·0 | 0 1 3 | 0 4 9 | 0 4 8 | 380 | 373 |
| Vegetables | ,, | 5·6 | 0 2 6 | 0 7 0 | 0 7 1 | 280 | 283 |
| Fruits | Doz. | 0·9 | 0 2 0 | 0 4 5 | 0 3 5 | 221 | 171 |
| Gingelly oil | Seer Wt. | 2·5 | 0 2 0 | 0 7 10 | 0 7 11 | 350 | 396 |
| Groundnut oil | ,, Wt. | 0·4 | 0 1 8 | 0 6 5 | 0 6 7 | 385 | 395 |
| Salt | ,, Mar. | 1·1 | 0 1 3 | 0 1 7 | 0 1 8 | 127 | 133 |
| Cocoanut | Each | 1·0 | 0 1 0 | 0 3 8 | 0 3 11 | 367 | 308 |
| Tamarind | Viss | 0·9 | 0 3 3 | 0 10 2 | 0 9 7 | 313 | 295 |
| Chillies | ,, | 2·0 | 0 7 4 | 2 3 6 | 2 3 11 | 484 | 490 |
| Coriander | Seer Mar. | 1·3 | 0 1 5 | 0 3 11 | 0 3 11 | 276 | 276 |
| Garlic | ,, Wt. | 0·7 | 0 2 0 | 0 7 11 | 0 10 6 | 396 | 525 |
| Wheat Flour | ,, Wt. | 1·4 | 0 0 8 | 0 1 7 | 0 1 7 | 238 | 238 |
| Soji | ,, Mar. | 1·3 | 0 2 5 | 0 6 8 | 0 6 8 | 276 | 276 |
| Ready made coffee | Cup | 6·3 | 0 0 6 | 0 1 6 | 0 1 6 | 300 | 300 |
| Total | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—all Food Articles | | | | | | 297·4 | 295·7 |
| *Fuel and Lighting*— | | | | | | | |
| Firewood | Maund | 72·0 | 0 2 6 | 0 5 4 | 0 5 4 | 213 | 213 |
| Castor Oil | Seer Wt. | 7·7 | 0 1 11 | 0 9 4 | 0 9 5 | 487 | 491 |
| Kerosene Oil | Bottle | 16·0 | 0 2 1 | 0 3 11 | 0 4 0 | 188 | 192 |
| Matches 50 | Dozen. | 4·3 | 0 2 6 | 0 9 0 | 0 9 0 | 360 | 360 |
| Total | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—Fuel and Lighting | | | | | | 236·4 | 237·4 |
| *Clothing*— | | | | | | | |
| Dhoties | Pair of 8 yards. | 14·6 | 2 0 9 | 5 4 6 | 5 2 0 | 258 | 250 |
| Coating | Yard | 22·5 | 0 5 6 | 0 14 6 | 0 14 7 | 264 | 265 |
| Shirting | ,, | 21·5 | 0 4 0 | 0 11 6 | 0 11 0 | 288 | 275 |
| Cloth for Pyjamas, etc. | ,, | 3·0 | 0 4 0 | 0 11 6 | 0 11 4 | 283 | 283 |
| Sarees | Each | 22·4 | 3 0 0 | 6 14 8 | 6 14 8 | 231 | 231 |
| Cloth for Jackets, etc. | Yard | 16·0 | 0 5 0 | 1 3 9 | 0 13 0 | 395 | 260 |
| Total | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—Clothing | | | | | | 282·6 | 257·1 |

*House rent*—

| Articles | Unit of quantity | Weight proportional to total expenditure | Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936 | March 1948 | April 1948 | Index Number: March 1948 | April 1948 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | | |
| *Miscellaneous*— | | | | | | | |
| Shaving | ... 1 Shave | 13·0 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 0 | 200 | 200 |
| Washing soap | ... 1 Bar | 17·0 | 0 4 0 | 1 3 3 | 1 4 0 | 481 | 500 |
| Supari | ... Seer Wt. | 8·4 | 0 3 6 | 1 4 4 | 1 3 8 | 581 | 562 |
| Beedi | Bundle of 25 | 11·2 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 0 | 200 | 200 |
| Amusement | ... 1 Show | 8·4 | 0 2 0 | 0 3 9 | 0 3 9 | 188 | 188 |
| Medicine | Bottle of mixture | 8·3 | 0 4 0 | 0 7 0 | 0 7 0 | 175 | 175 |
| Education | ... ... | 5·0 | 0 2 0 | 0 4 6 | 0 4 6 | 225 | 225 |
| Flowers | One bunch | 5·7 | 0 0 6 | 0 1 0 | 0 1 0 | 200 | 200 |
| Household Necessaries | Seer Wt. | 22·5 | 0 5 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 15 0 | 300 | 300 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—Miscellaneous ... | | | | | | 301·8 | 303·6 |

| Group | Weights proportional to total expenditure | Group Index Number: March 1948 | April 1948 |
|---|---|---|---|
| Food ... ... ... | 53·5 | 297·4 | 295·7 |
| Fuel and Lighting ... ... | 7·0 | 236·4 | 237·4 |
| Clothing ... ... ... | 13·8 | 282·6 | 257·1 |
| House Rent ... ... ... | 6·4 | 100·0 | 100·0 |
| Miscellaneous ... ... ... | 19·3 | 301·8 | 303·6 |
| Total ... | 100·0 | ... | ... |
| (Cost of Living Index) ... ... | ... | 279·3 | 275·3 |

## Working Class Cost of Living Index Number for Kolar Gold Fields Area for the Month of April 1948.

### A Rise of 0·5 points.

The cost of Living Index number of the working class in Kolar Gold Fields Area for the month of April 1948, works up to 284·2 points recording a rise of 0·5 points above the previous month's figure.

As compared with the previous month, the index number of the food group declined by 0·5 points to 287·3 on account of a fall in the prices of Blackgram dhal, avaredhal, jaggery, meat, onions, cocoanut, chillies, tamarind and vegetables.

The Index number of the Fuel and Lighting group advanced by 2·3 points to 263·0 points on account of a rise in the price of kerosene oil.

The index number of the Clothing group advanced by 3·5 points to 246·4 points on account of a rise in the prices of Dhoties, Coating, Shirting, and Cloth for pyjamas.

The Index number of the House Rent Group remained constant.

The Index number of the Miscellaneous group advanced by 3·1 points to 336·7 in the price of supari.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936 =100).

| | Names of the articles | Unit of quantity | Weight proportional to total expenditure | Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936 | March 1948 | April 1948 | Index Numbers: March 1948 | April 1948 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | | |
| 1 | Raw rice | ... Seer measure | 3·6 | 0 2 0 | 0 4 7 | 0 4 7 | 229 | 229 |
| 2 | Boiled rice | ... " | 36·9 | 0 2 1 | 0 4 7 | 0 4 7 | 220 | 220 |
| 3 | Ragi | ... " | 11·1 | 0 0 11 | 0 2 8 | 0 2 11 | 291 | 318 |
| 4 | Blackgram Dhal | ... " | 0·4 | 0 2 11 | 0 13 9 | 0 13 3 | 471 | 454 |
| 5 | Tur Dhal | ... " | 4·2 | 0 2 8 | 0 13 0 | 0 13 0 | 488 | 488 |
| 6 | Bengalgram Dhal | ... " | 0·8 | 0 1 11 | 0 7 4 | 0 9 8 | 383 | 504 |
| 7 | Avare Dhal | ... " | 0·6 | 0 2 1 | 0 14 0 | 0 13 6 | 672 | 648 |
| 8 | Greengram | ... " | 0·6 | 0 1 11 | 0 10 9 | 0 11 2 | 561 | 583 |
| 9 | Sugar | ... Seer wt. | 0·5 | 0 1 4 | 0 4 10 | 0 4 10 | 363 | 363 |
| 10 | Jaggery | ... Viss | 2·8 | 0 3 3 | 0 6 0 | 0 5 3 | 185 | 162 |
| 11 | Coffee seeds | ... Wt. Seer | 1·8 | 0 4 0 | 0 15 6 | 0 15 6 | 388 | 388 |
| 12 | Fish | ... " | 2·1 | 0 3 6 | 0 9 0 | 0 9 0 | 257 | 257 |
| 13 | Meat | ... 2 Lbs. wt. | 9·0 | 0 6 0 | 1 9 0 | 1 8 0 | 313 | 300 |
| 14 | Milk | ... Seer measure | 2·8 | 0 3 3 | 0 5 4 | 0 5 4 | 164 | 164 |
| 15 | Curds | ... " | 0·6 | 0 2 0 | 0 3 3 | 0 3 3 | 163 | 163 |
| 16 | Onions | ... Viss | 0·8 | 0 1 4 | 0 6 8 | 0 4 9 | 500 | 356 |
| 17 | Ghee | ... Seer Mar. | 1·1 | 0 6 0 | 0 15 6 | 0 15 6 | 258 | 258 |
| 18 | Gingelly oil | ... " | 3·2 | 0 2 0 | 0 7 0 | 0 7 3 | 350 | 363 |
| 19 | Cocoanut | ... Each | 0·8 | 0 1 2 | 0 3 0 | 0 2 6 | 257 | 214 |
| 20 | Groundnut oil | ... Seer wt. | 0·6 | 0 1 7 | 0 6 0 | 0 6 0 | 379 | 379 |
| 21 | Salt | ... Seer measure | 1·3 | 0 1 2 | 0 1 8 | 0 1 9 | 143 | 150 |
| 22 | Chillies | ... Viss | 4·6 | 0 7 8 | 2 8 0 | 2 6 0 | 522 | 496 |
| 23 | Tamarind | ... " | 1·4 | 0 2 7 | 0 8 0 | 0 7 0 | 310 | 271 |
| 24 | Coriander | ... Seer measure | 1·2 | 0 1 4 | 0 3 9 | 0 4 0 | 281 | 300 |
| 25 | Garlic | ... Seer wt. | 0·6 | 0 2 0 | 0 6 0 | 0 6 6 | 309 | 325 |
| 26 | Sojee | ... Seer measure | 0·3 | 0 2 5 | 0 7 6 | 0 7 6 | 310 | 310 |
| 27 | Vegetables | ... Viss | 3·8 | 0 3 0 | 0 12 0 | | | |
| 28 | Ready made coffee | ... Cup | 2·2 | | | | | |

| Name of articles | Unit of quantity | Weight proportional to total expenditure | Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936 | March 1948 | April 1948 | Index Numbers: March 1948 | April 1948 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Fuel and Lighting.*— | | | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | | |
| 1 Firewood ... | Maund | 75·1 | 0 2 0 | 0 5 6 | 0 5 6 | 275 | 27 |
| 2 Castor Oil ... | Seer wt. | 7·8 | 0 2 3 | 0 9 0 | 0 9 0 | 400 | 40 |
| 3 Kerosene Oil ... | Bottle | 12·1 | 0 2 3 | 0 3 3 | 0 3 8 | 144 | 16 |
| 4 Match box of 50 sticks. | Dozen | 5·0 | 0 3 9 | 0 8 0 | 0 8 0 | 213 | 21 |
| | Total ... | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index number of Fuel and Lighting ... | | .. | ... | ... | ... | 265·7 | 268 |
| *Clothing.*— | | | | | | | |
| 1 Dhoties ... | Pair of 8 yards. | 9·3 | 2 1 0 | 4 4 8 | 4 12 3 | 208 | 23 |
| 2 Cloth for Pyjamas, etc. | Yard | 1·7 | 0 4 4 | 0 12 1 | 0 12 7 | 279 | 29 |
| 3 Coating ... | ,, | 20·4 | 0 6 5 | 0 12 8 | 0 12 9 | 197 | 19 |
| 4 Shirting ... | ,, | 14·7 | 0 5 0 | 0 9 0 | 0 9 3 | 180 | 18 |
| 5 Sarees ... | Each | 39·4 | 3 3 0 | 9 8 0 | 9 8 0 | 298 | 29 |
| 6 Cloth for jackets, etc.... | Yard | 14·8 | 0 5 3 | 0 12 7 | 0 12 7 | 240 | 24 |
| | Total ... | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index number of Clothing ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 244·9 | 245 |
| *House Rent.*— | | | | | | | |
| 1 House rent ... | | 100·0 | 0 10 9 | 0 10 9 | 0 10 9 | 100 | |
| | Total ... | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | |
| Index number of House Rent ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 100·0 | 100·0 |
| *Miscellaneous.*— | | | | | | | |
| 1 Barber ... | One shave | 14·5 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 0 | 200 | 200 |
| 2 Soap for washing ... | One Bar | 20·0 | 0 4 3 | 1 4 0 | 1 4 0 | 471 | 471 |
| 3 Soapnut powder | Seer wt. | 5·2 | 0 1 1 | 0 6 3 | 0 6 0 | 577 | 554 |
| 4 Supari ... | ,, | 14·1 | 0 3 3 | 1 2 0 | 1 3 0 | 554 | 585 |
| 5 Beedies ... | Bundle of 25. | 15·7 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 0 | 200 | 200 |
| 6 Travelling expenses ... | ..... | 6·7 | 0 4 2 | 4 2 0 | 0 4 2 | 100 | 100 |
| 7 Flowers ... | 1 bunch | 3·9 | 0 0 6 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 0 | 400 | 400 |
| 8 Amusements ... | 1 show | 8·1 | 0 2 0 | 0 3 0 | 0 3 0 | 150 | 150 |
| 9 Charges for grinding ... | 2 seers. | 6·1 | 0 0 2 | 0 0 6 | 0 0 6 | 300 | 300 |
| 10 Household necessaries. | Seer wt. | 5·7 | 0 5 0 | 0 15 7 | 0 15 7 | 312 | 312 |
| | Total ... | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index number—Miscellaneous ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 333·6 | 33 |

| Group | | Weight proportional to total expenditure | Index Numbers: March 1948 | April 1948 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Food ... | ... | 70·9 | 287·8 | 287·3 |
| 2 Fuel and lighting ... | ... | 6·2 | 265·7 | 268·0 |
| 3 Clothing ... | ... | 9·1 | 242·9 | 246·4 |
| 4 House rent ... | ... | 2·1 | 100·0 | 100·0 |
| 5 Miscellaneous ... | ... | 11·7 | 333·6 | 336·7 |
| Total | ... | 100·0 | .. | .. |
| Cost of Living Index—Figure | ... | ... | 283·7 | 284·2 |

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## WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR MYSORE CITY FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 1948.

**A rise of 13.1 points.**

The Cost of Living Index Number for the month of April 1948 works upto 281.6 points registering a rise of 13.1 points over the previous month's figures.

As compared with the previous month, the Index Number of the Food group advanced by 22.1 points to 307.4 due to a rise in the prices of Ragi, turdhal, bengalgramdhal, meat, chillies, coffee seeds and ready made coffee.

The Index Number of the Fuel and Lighting Group advanced by 0.8 points to 212.7 owing to a rise in the price of castor oil.

The Index Number of the Clothing Group declined by 17.6 points owing to a fall in the price of saries.

The Index Number of the miscellaneous group advanced by 3.7 points owing to a rise in the price of Supari and grinding charges.

The Index Numb of the House-Rent group remained constant.

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(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936=100).

| Names of the Article | Unit of quantity | Weight proportional to total expenditure | Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936 | March 1948 | April 1948 | Index Numbers: March 1948 | April 1948 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Food*— | | | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | | |
| 1 Raw Rice ... | Seer measure | 23·4 | 0 2 0 | 0 4 7 | 0 4 7 | 229 | 229 |
| 2 Ragi ... | ,, | 17·7 | 0 1 2 | 0 2 9 | 0 3 4 | 236 | 286 |
| 3 Tur Dhal ... | ,, | 5·5 | 0 2 9 | 0 12 4 | 0 12 9 | 448 | 464 |
| 4 Avare Dhal ... | ,, | 1·7 | 0 2 1 | 0 13 8 | 0 12 9 | 656 | 612 |
| 5 Bengalgram Dhal | ,, | 1·6 | 0 2 0 | 0 8 7 | 0 12 6 | 489 | 625 |
| 6 Greengram Dhal... | ,, | 1·5 | 0 1 10 | 0 12 3 | 0 12 1 | 668 | 659 |
| 7 Salt ... | ,, | 1·1 | 0 1 3 | 0 2 3 | 0 2 0 | 180 | 160 |
| 8 Coriander ... | ,, | 1·8 | 0 1 3 | 0 3 4 | 0 3 4 | 267 | 267 |
| 9 Milk ... | ,, | 3·9 | 0 4 0 | 0 6 5 | 0 6 5 | 160 | 160 |
| 10 Curds ... | ,, | 2·8 | 0 2 0 | 0 3 0 | 0 3 0 | 150 | 150 |
| 11 Wheat ... | ,, | 1·2 | 0 2 3 | 0 6 5 | 0 6 5 | 322 | 322 |
| 12 Meat ... | 2 lbs. wt. | 10·3 | 0 8 0 | 1 9 0 | 2 0 0 | 313 | 400 |
| 13 Vegetables ... | Viss | 5·3 | 0 2 8 | 0 7 2 | 0 6 6 | 269 | 244 |
| 14 Onions ... | ,, | 1·8 | 0 1 6 | 0 8 11 | 0 7 9 | 594 | 517 |
| 15 Jaggery ... | ,, | 1·5 | 0 4 4 | 0 8 3 | 0 7 1 | 190 | 163 |
| 16 Chillies ... | ,, | 3·4 | 0 7 6 | 1 12 1 | 1 14 1 | 374 | 412 |
| 17 Tamarind ... | ,, | 1·0 | 0 2 9 | 0 10 5 | 0 9 8 | 379 | 352 |
| 18 Sugar ... | ,, | 1·6 | 0 1 4 | 0 4 8 | 0 4 7 | 350 | 344 |
| 19 Coffee seeds ... | Seer wt. | 2·0 | 0 5 1 | 1 5 6 | 1 11 6 | 423 | 541 |
| 20 Ghee ... | ,, | 1·5 | 0 6 9 | 0 12 0 | 0 12 0 | 178 | 178 |
| 21 Groundnut oil ... | ,, | 1·2 | 0 1 4 | 0 6 3 | 0 6 3 | 469 | 469 |
| 22 Garlic ... | ,, | 0·6 | 0 2 0 | 0 7 8 | 0 7 7 | 383 | 379 |
| 23 Cocoanut ... | Each | 1·3 | 0 1 2 | 0 3 5 | 0 3 3 | 293 | 279 |
| 24 Ready made coffee | Cup | 6·3 | 0 0 9 | 0 1 4 | 0 1 6 | 178 | 200 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—All Food Articles ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 285·3 | 307·4 |
| *Fuel and Lighting*— | | | | | | | |
| 1 Firewood ... | Maund | 84·0 | 0 2 3 | 0 4 9 | 0 4 9 | 211 | 211 |
| 2 Kerosene Oil ... | Bottle | 10·8 | 0 2 4 | 0 3 9 | 0 3 9 | 161 | 161 |
| 3 Castor Oil ... | Seer wt. | 2·8 | 0 2 3 | 0 9 3 | 0 9 11 | 411 | 441 |
| 4 Match box (50 sticks). | Dozen | 2·4 | 0 3 4 | 0 8 0 | 0 8 0 | 240 | 240 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index No.—Fuel and Lighting ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 211·9 | 212·7 |
| *Clothing*— | | | | | | | |
| 1 Dhoties ... | Pair | 8·1 | 2 1 9 | 4 14 1 | 4 14 1 | 231 | 231 |
| 2 Coating ... | Yard | 21·6 | 0 6 1 | 0 12 9 | 0 12 9 | 210 | 210 |
| 3 Shirting ... | ,, | 18·3 | 0 4 3 | 0 9 5 | 0 9 5 | 222 | 222 |
| 4 Cloth for Pyjams etc., | ,, | 4·8 | 0 4 11 | 0 13 6 | 0 13 6 | 275 | 275 |
| 5 Cloth for Jackets etc., | ,, | 12·0 | 0 5 4 | 1 2 6 | 1 2 6 | 347 | 347 |
| 6 Sarees ... | Each | 35·2 | 4 7 0 | 7 6 9 | 7 3 0 | 212 | 162 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—Clothing ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 234·2 | 216·6 |
| *House Rent*— | | | | | | | |
| House rent per month... | | 100·0 | 1 7 2 | 1 7 2 | 1 7 2 | 100·0 | 100·0 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—House rent ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 100·0 | 100·0 |
| *Miscellaneous*— | | | | | | | |
| 1 Barber ... | One shave | 12·2 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 0 | 200 | 200 |
| 2 Washing Soap ... | Bar ... | 11·7 | 0 4 0 | 1 4 6 | 1 4 6 | 512 | 512 |
| 3 Soapnut powder ... | Viss ... | 5·4 | 0 6 2 | 1 8 10 | 1 5 11 | 403 | 355 |
| 4 Supari ... | Seer wt.... | 11·2 | 0 3 5 | 1 6 0 | 1 5 5 | 615 | 627 |
| 5 Beedies ... | Bundle of 25 | 33·6 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 3 | 0 2 3 | 225 | 225 |
| 6 Amusements .... | One show | 11·5 | 0 2 0 | 0 3 0 | 0 3 0 | 150 | 150 |
| 7 Subscriptions ... | ... | 9·4 | 0 11 0 | 0 11 0 | 0 11 0 | 100 | 100 |
| 8 Grinding charges | Seer measure | 5·0 | 0 0 1 | 0 0 2 | 0 0 3 | 200 | 200 |
| Total ... | | 100·0 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Index Number—Miscellaneous ... | | ... | ... | ... | ... | 287·2 | 290·9 |

| Groups | | Weights proportional to total expenditure | Group Index Numbers | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | March 1948 | April 1948 |
| (1) Food | ... | 62·5 | 285·3 | 307·4 |
| (2) Fuel and Lighting | ... | 9·4 | 211·9 | 212·7 |
| (3) Clothing | ... | 8·0 | 234·2 | 216·6 |
| (4) House Rent | ... | 3·3 | 100·0 | 100·0 |
| (5) Miscellaneous | ... | 16·8 | 287·2 | 290·9 |
| Total | ... | 100·0 | ... | ... |
| Cost of Living Index Number | ... | ... | 268·5 | 281·6 |

8843 A. SUNDARAM MUDALIAR, For *Commr. of Labour.*

## BANGALORE DISTRICT.
(FOOD CONTROL SECTION).

Notification dated 14th May 1948.

**No. F5.336—47-48.** This Office Notification of even number dated 1st May 1948, revising the wholesale and retail prices of kerosene oil in Bangalore City and District, under Section 3 (1) of the Mysore Kerosene Price Control Order, 1948.

The rates for half a bottle is fixed as follows :—

| | Rs. | a. | p. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bangalore City ... ... | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Bangalore District ... ... | 0 | 2 | 3 |

8969 M. K. APPAJAPPA, *Dy. Commr.*

## OFFICE OF THE ADDITIONAL DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 3rd May 1948.

**No. D5—47-48.** Applications are invited from candidates desirous of undergoing training in Flaying in Calcutta. The minimum qualification is a pass in the S. S. L. C. Examination. The period of training will be three months and a stipend of Rs. 50 per month will be paid during the period. The selected candidate should give an undertaking to the Department that he will serve the Government of Mysore for at least one year after the training is over. The travelling expenses to and from Calcutta will be met by Government. Applications should reach this office on or before 31st May 1948.

The following particulars should be furnished :—

1 Name ... ... ... .....
2 Name of father ... ... .....
3 Community, Age ... ... .....
4 Educational qualification ... .....
5 Full address ... ... .....
6 Testimonials ... ... .....
7 Details of previous experience, if any .....

8643 J. B. MALLARADHYA, *Addl. Director.*

## KOLAR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 13th May 1948.

**No. FS. 3206—47-48.** In modification of this Office Notification No. FS. 2832—47-48, dated 7th April 1948 fixing the retail price of kerosene for the several places in Kolar District and in exercise of the powers conferred on me in Notification No. F. 6083—47-48, dated 1st April 1948 by the Director of Food Supplies in Mysore, Bangalore, under Clauses 3, 4, 5 and 7 of the Mysore Kerosene Price Control Order, 1948, I, George Matthan, Esq., B.Sc., Deputy Commissioner, Kolar. District, do hereby direct that kerosene oil shall not be sold in this district in excess of the prices fixed in this notification with immediate effect.

Every dealer shall submit to this office and to the local Officers concerned so as to reach not later than the 5th of each month, the quantities of oil in gallons delivered to the several retail dealers in the several areas.

All the Amildars in the District, District Treasury Officer, Kolar, and Food Rationing Authority, Kolar Gold Fields, are hereby authorised to enter upon and inspect any premises in which they have reason to believe that the purchase or sale or both of kerosene is taking place contrary to the provisions of the Kerosene Price Control Order, 1948.

Persons contravening the provisions of this notification will be proceeded according to law.

## KOLAR SUB-DIVISION.

Notification dated 30th April 1948.

**No. R1. M. C. 1290—47-48.** The following gentlemen are appointed as Dharmadarsis to supervise the affairs of Sri Vijayendraswami and Sri Arkeswaraswami Temples, the Minor Muzrai Institutions at Bethamangala, Bowringpet Taluk, for a period of three years :—

| Sl. No. | Names of Dharmadarsis | Occupation | Residence |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Messrs.— | | |
| 1 | Surappasetty | Merchant | Bethamangala |
| 2 | Pillavenkatappa | Agriculture | Do |
| 3 | K. R. Narayana Setty | Merchant | Do |
| 4 | Chinnappa | Contractor | Do |
| 5 | Narayana Iyer | Merchant | Do |
| 6 | Kadirappa | Shanbhogue | Nagasetthalli |

Sl. No. 6, Mr. Kadirappa will be the Convener of the Committee.

8642 G. NARASIMHIAH, *S.D.O.*

## MYSORE DISTRICT.
(FOOD SUPPLIES BRANCH.)

Notification dated 10th May 1948.

**No. C. S. 12-419—47-48.** In exercise of the powers vested in me under rule 81 of the Defence of India Rules as applied to Mysore and continued by the Supplies, Services and Miscellaneous Provisions Act XX, 1947, and in virtue of the powers delegated to me under clause 5 of the Mysore Kerosene Price Control Order, 1948, I, Mir Safdar Hussain, Esq., B.A., Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District do hereby direct the Kerosene Agents of the District to maintain and furnish every month, details of kerosene oil received, quantity distributed talukwar and the balance left over, by the 5th of the succeeding month.

Any contravention of the above direction is punishable under the Rules.

With reference to rule 119 of the said Rules notice of this notification shall be given by publication of the same in the Official Gazette.

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(FOOD SUPPLIES.)

Notification dated 10th May 1948.

**No. C. S. 12-420—47-48.** In exercise of the powers vested in me under Rule 81 of the Defence of India Rules as applied to Mysore and continued by the Supplies, Services and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, XX, 1947, and in virtue of the powers delegated to me under clause 7 of the Mysore Kerosene Price Control Order, 1948, I Mir Safdar Hussain, Esq., B.A., Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, do hereby authorise the Food Assistant to the Deputy Commissioner, the Sub-Division Officers, the Amildars, Rationing Officers, Assistant Rationing Officers, Special Sheristedars and Police Officers not below the rank of Sub-Inspectors in the District to enter upon and inspect any premises in which he has reason to believe that the purchase or sale or both of kerosene is taking place contrary to the provisions of the said Order.

With reference to rule 119 of the said Rules, notice of this notification shall be given by publication of the same in the Official Gazette.

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(FOOD SUPPLIES.)

Notification dated 10th May 1948.

**No. C. S. 3711—47-48.** In continuation of the previous